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HALF CENT CUT MADE IN PRICE OF GASOLINE

OFFICER OF THE STANDARD OIL TELLS WHY THE REDUCTION IS MADE—FUEL OIL QUOTATIONS

The Standard Oil company of California has announced, effective today, a cut of 5 cents a barrel in the price it has been paying for light gravity crude oils, and a simultaneous reduction of ½ cent a gallon in the company's selling price of gasoline and engine distillate. Both reductions are effective throughout the entire state.

What the cut in gasoline will mean in dollars cannot be estimated, but as gasoline has been selling for 15 1-2 cents, the effect on the automobile industry will probably be stimulative.

The present price of gasoline at San Francisco is 15 1-2 cents a gallon and of engine distillate 7 1-2 cents a gallon, with somewhat different prices obtaining in Los Angeles and other points throughout the state. The reduction of 1-2 cent a gallon obtains everywhere throughout the state on gasoline and distillate.

An officer of the Standard Oil stated the reasons for the change in schedule yesterday. He said:

"The unalterable law of supply and demand has necessitated these changes. Our storage of light crude oil has increased since 1911 from 1,000,000 barrels to 13,000,000 barrels and all this oil has to be placed in steel tanks, as cement and earth reservoirs are only suitable for heavy grade oils. These steel tanks are expensive to construct.

"However, we are now building additional steel tankage to accommodate 5,000,000 barrels of these light crude oils and we are also striving to curtail our own production of the light crude grades, as the millions of dollars necessary for the construction of tanks of this character constitute a heavy tax upon us.

"The oils of extremely high gravity that are now being produced in the Lost Hills and Belridge fields—oils running from 35 to 36 gravity—as well as the higher grade productions elsewhere, have absolutely compelled us to take this step.

"You will note that we are simply asking the producers to share with us the hardships of the situation, which is no fault of ours, but is due to the development of the oil fields of California. By the reduction in the price of gasoline we curtail our income just as we are compelled to curtain the income of others by paying less for this character of oil."

BOY BREAKS COLLAR BONE WHILE PLAYING

Nicola Carmichiel, an eight-year-old boy residing at 632 First street, fell from a pile of lumber yesterday afternoon and sustained a broken collar bone which was later set by Dr. Hall Vestal.

SELF DEFENSE VERDICT GIVEN BY JURYMEN

No Blame Attached to Slayer of Jesus Lopez by Coroner's Jury at Inquest Held Yesterday

Juan Alonzo, a Mexican on the afternoon of May 16th, killed Jesus Lopez with a shovel on a small island above the town of Antioch, and was yesterday acquitted of a crime of manslaughter by the coroner's jury on the grounds that he had acted in self defense.

Coroner C. L. Abbott who conducted the inquest had several witnesses present at the inquest who saw the fight in which Lopez met his death. The two Mexicans had been on rough terms for some time past and upon their meeting last Saturday afternoon became mixed up in an argument during which Lopez made an attempt to kill Alonzo with a large carving knife. Alonzo seeing that he could not escape being injured grabbed a shovel and felled his opponent to the earth with a blow to the head. When the authorities arrived upon the scene Lopez was still conscious but died a short while later, death being due to a fractured skull.

THIEVES ENTER HIGH SCHOOL ON MONDAY NIGHT

Thieves broke into the storehouse room of the Richmond High school Monday evening securing supplies amounting to $35.00. This is the third time in the past year that vandals have operated at the school. Principal B. X. Tucker, together with the other members of the school board, intend to put an immediate stop to future acts of this kind. The young offenders left their finger prints and these will be turned over to the authorities.

TWO SCHOOL TRUSTEE OPINIONS ATTORNEY GENERAL AND LAW

It looks like the Attorney General will have to back water in the matter of his opinion rendered a local attorney in relation to vacancies existing in the school department. In this county that official held that when an appointment is made, he held till the next school election, and in Santa Clara county, his opinion was to the contrary.

In the recent school election City Superintendent of Schools, Helms, held that the appointment of Jos. F. Brooks was for the remainder of the term and as a result the election was called to elect one trustee. After the count was made and it was found E. H. Harlow was elected the claim was made that the call should have been for the election of two. Mr. Helms, the District Attorney and others asserted the call as made was correct, but a little later, the Attorney General rendered an opinion at the request of Attorney Wildgrube in which he held that the election should have been for two, as the appointment of Brooks was till the first election.

In Santa Clare county, the same condition arose last year, and in that case the Attorney General held just the opposite. How the opinions can be reconciled a layman cannot see. The Record-Herald has secured a copy of the Santa Clara county opinion. It is well worth reading. It would seem Brooks is secure in his position.

The opinion is well worth reading and is as follows:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

San Francisco, June, 1913.

Hon. Arthur M. Free,
District Attorney, Santa Clara County, San Jose, California.

Dear Sir:

This office is in receipt of a communication dated June 13, 1913, and signed by C. C. Coolidge as Chief Deputy District Attorney, wherein the opinion of this office is requested with respect to the proper construction of subdivision 3 of section 1593 of the Political Code, and subdivision 12 of section 1543 of that Code, relating to the filing of vacancies in the office of School Trustee.

In that communication, after referring to these two sections, and to the amendment to the latter section in 1911, you state:

"The Superintendent of Public Instruction seems to hold that this amendment controls subdivision 3 of section 1593 and re-

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SEVEN ENAMELERS WALK OUT

Just what the exact trouble is that has caused seven enamelers and seven helpers to throw down their tools and walk out of the Pacific Sanitary company's plant, located at Fifth and Hensley streets, is causing considerable stir in the union circles.

The men claim that for no reason whatever their scale of wages dropped from $7.50 to $4.00 a day for which affair they were compelled to quit their jobs.

Superintendent Cameron of the plant when interviewed this morning stated that it was true that the men had walked out but was uninclined to give out the exact reason for their actions.

According to the statement made by one of the men their places cannot be taken by other enamelers as that would only lead to a general walkout of the entire plant. Just what action is to be taken in the matter by the company is uncertain to say.

PLANS FOR CITY HALL ASKED MAYOR LUDEWIG STILL REFUSES

The city hall matter is still in statue quo, and both sides are resting on their oars. At the time the Record-Herald goes to press no action of any character had been filed at the county seat.

Section 8 of Article III of the city charter reads:

"Said council shall elect one of its number as its presiding officer who shall be known as Mayor, to serve for one year after his election. In the absence or disability of the Mayor, a mayor pro-tem shall be elected.

"The said Mayor shall preside at all meetings of the council and be the chief executive of said city, and as such shall sign all contracts on behalf of the city, and perform such other duties as may from time to time, be assigned to him by the council. In all other respects he shall perform the same duties as any other member of the council."

Mayor Ludewig is still standing pat and says there is no one that can make him sign the agreement passed by the council Monday night which provides for the erection of a city hall building on the Harbor Center tract, and he does not propose to put his signature to the document.

There is a good deal of buzzing going on about town in regard to the matter. All sorts of rumors are afloat, but as yet no action has been taken by either side.

The agreement adopted by the council provides that plans for the new building must be adopted within thirty days.

Architects are now being asked to submit competitive plans to be presented to the council at the meeting on June 1st.

STREET REPAIRS BECOMING EXPENSIVE

The street department has repair outfits in the different sections of the city trying to patch up the oil macadam streets that are rapidly going to pieces. It has been demonstrated that although oil macadam is the cheapest in the first instance, it is the most expensive in the long-run, and will not bear up under traffic.

Experience has taught that oil and rock will not bind and stay together, and the problem is now confronting the council, where the money is to come from to keep the streets in good condition.

Already a ban has been placed on oil macadam by the council, but it is believed that asphalt macadam will be substituted.

New Members.

Eight new members have been taken into the Barbers' Union.

TRACK LAYING WILL BE FINISHED SOON

From the progress that is being made it is expected that the work of double tracking Macdonald avenue will be completed within the next thirty days, and the avenue again placed in first class condition.

CITY IS ONCE AGAIN FREE OF ALL DISEASES

Not a Single Case of Any Contagious Disease is at the Present Time Known Here

Once again, stated City Health Officer Blake, today Richmond is free from all contagious diseases, the last case of which was put to rout today when the residence of Mrs. J. Flynn at 510 Barrett avenue was released from quarantine.

Although at times various epidemic diseases have sprung up and attempted to get a foothold in this city they have been quickly routed by the timely action of Health Officer Blake and his assistants.

The cases that have been rather prevalent of late have been those of scarlet fever, diphtheria and the measles.

RIDERS ESCAPE WITH MINOR CUTS IN FREAK ACCIDENT

A freak accident in which two motorcycle riders received minor injuries happened at a late hour yesterday afternoon when a motorcycle ridden by Joe Perry became tangled with one being driven by W. Wright at the corner of Tenth street and Bissell avenue. Both machines skidded across the street into the front door of the Builders' Exchange. The fact that the machines were going in the same direction is responsible for thefactthatneither & responsible for the fact that neither rider was badly injured.

After a visit of several days with her son in San Francisco, Mrs. S. M. Beach has returned to Richmond.

CHIEF ARNOLD ON TRAIL OF DRIVERS

W. G. LOCKHART IS FOUND LAST EVENING TO BE VIOLATING THE CITY ORDINANCE

After many nights of ceaseless vigil the efforts of Chief of Police Arnold and Officer Betts were fully rewarded last evening when they found W. G. Lockhart of Berkeley, an auto truck driver for the Hutchinson company, in the vicinity of Twenty-fifth street and Nevin avenue violating the city ordinance by hauling more than four tons of street material at a load.

Lockhart, when booked at the city jail, made a sworn statement to Chief Arnold saying that his load was not in access of the four-ton limit.

"We are going to put an end to this overloading of various trucks" stated Chief Arnold when interviewed on the matter today, "as the poor condition of some of our newly paved streets is due to the work of these drivers who in an effort to make a little more money will overtax their truck thus causing traffic ruts on some of the newly paved thoroughfares."

For the past several months it has been the custom of auto truck drivers hauling street material to haul within the four-ton limit during the day, but as soon as night comes on will load their trucks as high as 1200 pounds when they should only carry 1050.

The material dumped on the street last evening by Driver Lockhart is being weighed and if it is found to be in access of the city ordinance he will have to answer for the offense.

MRS. SPIERCH IS LAID TO REST TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Pauline Spiersch, mother of Fred and Richard Spiersch, the local plumbers of this city, was held in Sacramento this afternoon.

Mrs. Spiersch was well known in the capital city, having resided there for the past number of years during which time she had taken an active interest in various lodges. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spiersch, together with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spiersch were in attendance at the funeral.

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"To Observations Which Ourselves We Make, We Grow More Partial, for the Observer's Sake."

RICHMOND-CONTRA COSTA COUNTY EXHIBIT

Editor Hulaniski of the Richmond Record-Herald and Contra Costan is a booster worth while. His latest stunt, an exhibit of Contra Costa products, to be conducted by himself, will open in about two weeks at the Lick House on Montgomery street, San Francisco. Every part of the county will be represented in the exhibit, which will be one of the best means yet attempted of letting the rest of the world know how rich in resources and advantages is this part of California.—Concord Transcript.

And this from a neighboring paper reminds us that we want to ask every man and woman in Contra Costa county, in Richmond and every other town in the county, and the farmers out in the country, to all take a personal and kindly interest in this exhibit, and we wish you would bear with us and read this article, in which we will briefly explain and outline this project. We want your help, every one of you, and believe that when you understand what it is and why it is you will be interested.

In the first place, this exhibit of this great county, its many good towns, its manufacturing industries, its agricultural and other products, its marvelous climate and many natural advantages, is not a money-making scheme, or anything akin to it. We will probably be lucky if we break even on it financially, though we hope to do just a little bit better than that ultimately, probably next year during the Panama-Pacific Exposition, to which the railroads assure us from 12,000,000 to 15,000,000 people are coming. We have no axes to grind in this matter, and no motive in view whatever except the opportunity and our own desire to boost this county and every legitimate enterprise and every good citizen in it. Those of you who have read our editorial and other writings in the Daily Record-Herald and Weekly Contra Costan for some few years past may have noticed that we earnestly and honestly endeavor to boost for everybody and everything that is worthy, and that when we can't boost we generally shut up like a clam and keep still, passing up the knocking stunt to those so inclined.

We are all friends and neighbors out here in this great big splendid country, and we need each other's help. There is no limitation upon what we can accomplish if we help each other and get our shoulders to the boost and prosperity wheels and keep them there.

We have been and are, in an humble way, trying to preach the Gospel of Sunshine, which includes in it the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man. There is no creed on earth that this gospel in any way interreres with. Everybody is eligible to this Sunshine Club, and everybody, especially in California, ought to join, for more reasons than there is room in this newspaper to enumerate. The more sunshine you help to place along the pathway or into the life of a fellow man the more sunshine you are going to get along your own pathway and into your own life. And that is the starting point for this exhibition idea. We want to let the whole world know about this blessed California, and especially the Contra Costa county part of it, and we want you all to help us do it. This will be a kindness to them, for as a rule they are dreadfully ignorant yet as to what we have in this wonderful country, and it will also be highly beneficial to the country, its towns, institutions and its citizens generally, for as the towns and county build up we will all build up with it if we deserve to and do our part.

We ask that every town and hamlet in this county get up an exhibit of its resources, no matter what they are, and put it in this exhibition we are now inaugurating in San Francisco. We will do the rest, for among other things we will deliver personal lectures about it all to hundreds of thousands of people during this year and next, and we will get it into newspapers that have circulations extending all over America.

If you have a picture, or anything that is a product of Contra Costa county, that you can spare, send it to us, or write us about it and we will come and get it. If you raise an especially nice apple, pear, peach, bunch of grapes, walnuts, almonds, or anything else calculated to show what the soil of this county can produce, or anything of an interesting nature, if you can spare it, please send it in, any time after June 1st, addressed to F. J. Hulaniski, Contra Costa Exhibit, Lick Building, San Francisco. We will show it to a multitude and tell them all about it.

We ask that every board of trade, chamber of commerce, boost club, improvement association and similar civic body take sufficient interest in this matter to see to it that their town and community is represented. If you have nothing else to exhibit, print a sign about yourselves and your section of the country, and we will hang it on the wall and call constant attention to it every afternoon of the year, except Sundays, and Sundays we have to paw up the earth around this little 2x4 ranch, in order to get health, chickens, garden sass and inspiration to write more good things about California.

If there is anything under the blue dome of these smiling California heavens that we can do to help any community or any man, woman or child in this fruitful and fertile county, we want to do it, and will do it if it be possible and they will just tune up and signify what it is—not for money, not for glory or aggrandizement, or anything of that sort, but just because it is a genuine pleasure to do it, and because it is a part of this everlasting good gospel of Sunshine we are trying to promulgate, and because the only rules and regulations of this Sunshine Club we are trying to organize are so tangled up with the Golden Rule that you can't tell t'other from which.

Join the Sunshine Club! There is no membership fee and no dues to pay. Let us all do what we can to boost Contra Costa county and every good enterprise and good citizen in it. We can't possibly lose, because if there be no other gain there will at least be the satisfaction of brightening and cheering each other's lives, and that is a whole lot. It is our duty and should be our pleasure.

Too many of us watch the clock
As if we were afraid
We'd sometime do a minute's work
For which we won't get paid.

The farmers all over the country are heliographing to the army of unemployed.

Up to the time of going to press Old Man Huerta has not yet saluted the flag.

We don't believe that General Francisco Villa is trying for that Nobel peace prize.

If you must use a lawn mower that has a loud tone of voice, don't get up at 5 a. m. to do it.

Bryan could only tell his dinner guests to drink grape juice but Daniels told the whole navy.

Girls whose faces are their fortunes had better not speculate, but invest in good matrimonial bonds.

If you ever do get up a Fathers' Day, which is not likely—but if it ever should happen—make it Saturday night.

If he carries her powder rag in his pocket when they go out together, that is a sign they are progressing first rate.

English suffragettes demand the right to sit on juries. Well, for goodness sake give it to them. Anybody that wants to sit on a jury is foolish.

When the crops begin to move there will be plenty of money in circulation, and the new government regional banks will see to it that plenty of coin is available for that purpose. The Mexican troubles is also going to put a lot of money into circulation that otherwise would have been locked up in government vaults, and the various state political campaigns will limber up quite a few dollars one way and another, so that in another month or two times will be a whole lot better, it is safe to predict and count on. Make your business circulations accordingly.

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COMING EVENTS

May 20—At Sequoia Hall, whist party by Native Daughters.

May 21—Spring Festival to be held by the members of the Baraca class of the First Methodist church, in the church parlors.

May 23—Dance to be given in Pythian hall by members of the Bluebell club.

April 25—Benefit ball at Maple Hall, San Pablo.

May 22—The Silver Spray Circle, Companions of the Forest; whist party. Admission 25 cents.

May 26—Red Men's whist party in Pythian Castle.

May 27.—Annual ball of Ladies' Guild of Trinity Episcopal church at East Shore Park. Admission 50c.

May 28—Social dance given by the Ye Olde Tyme Social Club at East Shore Park, admission fifty cents.

May 29—Invitational dance at East Shore Park by the Eukalala Club.

May 31—Spanish American War Veterans social and whist party at Bank hall. Admission 25 cents.

June 3—Chicken whist party by Fraternal Brotherhood, at Fraternal hall. Tickets 25 cents.

June 11—Ladies of Wesley Methodist church will hold an Oriental bazaar and tea, both afternoon and evening, at the home of Mrs. R. P. Dammond at 720 Nevin avenue.

June 13—Dance of Uniform Rank of Knights of Pythias in Pythian Castle. Admission 50 cents.

June 20—Dance of Richmond Parlor of Native Sons in Pythian Castle. Music by Native Sons' band.

June 25—St. Elizabeth's Court No. 679, W. C. O. F., whist party and dance. Refreshments and prizes.

June 25—Whist party in Bank Hall by the St. Elizabet's Court, Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters. Prizes.

June 26—Dance to be given at East Shore park by young girls of St. Mark's Catholic church.

June 26—Benefit dance given by the ladies of St. Mark's Church for the rebuilding of burned church.

June 30—Kandy Kids social dance at East Shore Park. Boxes of candy will be given to the ladies. Union music.

July 12—Third annual picnic to be held by Onetah Tribe I. O. R. M. at East Shore park.

August 9—Annual outing and joint picnic by Pt. Richmond Aerie No. 354 F. O. E. and Eagles' drill team.

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"THE SILVER SNUFF BOX," Vitagraph Drama.

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POLITICAL Announcements

To the Voters of the First Supervisorial District, Contra Costa County, California.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Supervisor to represent the people of the above district on the board of supervisors of Contra Costa county.

Primary election, Aug. 25, 1914.
General election, Nov. 3, 1914.

As under the existing law the election for County Officers is non-partisan, I propose to base my candidacy upon a determination to act as an official in a non-partisan manner and not to be swayed in my official conduct by political or other influence.

Very respectfully,
WM. F. HUBER,
Party Affiliation: Republican.

TO THE VOTERS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT of Contra Costa County. Primary election AUG. 25, 1914. General election NOV. 3, 1914.

Under the present law all county officials are elected by a non-partisan vote. If elected I shall stand for a fair and impartial trial of all cases with the least delay possible.

C. A. CLARK.

TO THE VOTERS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY:—

At the request of his friends ZEB KNOTT announces himself as a candidate for
SUPERVISOR
of District No. 1. Primary election, August 25, 1914. General election, November 3, 1914.

Under the present law all county officials are elected by a non-partisan vote.

ZEB KNOTT.

FISH CHEAP THIS WEEK

During all this week fish will be very cheap at the fish stall of the Richmond Free Market, No. 250 Eighth street. Hotels and boarding houses will be supplied at special prices.

Fresh Tuna Fish very cheap.

P. CRAIVELLO.

"DINKELSPIELS BABY" AT RICHMOND THEATER TODAY

CORA WILLIAMS in "Dinkelspiel's Baby."

Francis X. Bushman will be seen at the Richmond theatre today in a strong and convincing two part drama entitled "The Three Scratch Clue," produced by the Essanay company. Good photography, fine acting and beautiful settings make this offering strong.

"The Doctor's Trust," a Biograph drama, relates how the doctor entrusted with a fund from the charity association, was called away on a consultation. Returning he read that the money had been stolen by an unknown burglar. The father suspected his son, not without reason, but subsequent events proved true manhood still remained.

The Selig offering entitled "The Midnight Call," is a complicated and interesting plot that contains several gripping scenes and surprises. A well made picture, bright in photography, ably directed with adequate acting.

"Dinkelspiel's Baby," an Edison comedy, will be counted as good entertainment. There is brightness and cleverness in it, and the situation develops into a human and very laughable one.

HARRY BEAUMONT in "Dinkelspiel's Baby."

The latest four-reel production of the Famous Players Film company, entitled "The Brute," with Malcolm Williams in the leading role, will be show at the Richmond theatre on Friday. A picture that is bound to reach the great heart of millions.

AMERICA OPERA TO BE DISCUSSED

The members of the Mendelssohn club will meet at the home of Mrs. T. Park Jacobs on Nevin avenue tomorrow afternoon.

The entire afternoon's affair will be given over to the discussion of the American Opera. A number of readings will be made by various members of the club.

LADIES WILL SERVE DINNER TOMORROW

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church will serve a dinner tomorrow evening between the hours of 5 and 8 o'clock, at the church parlors on Washington avenue.

The committee which will have charge of the affair is composed of Mrs. P. Dunlap, Mrs. A. J. Pearson and Mrs. R. Minner.

TO GIVE BENEFIT DANCE FOR CHURCH

The large pavilion at East Shore park has been secured for the evening of June 26th, at which time the young ladies of St. Mark's Catholic church will give a dance, the funds of which will be given toward rebuilding the old edifice gutted by fire several evenings ago.

EAGLES PLAN A BIG ENTERTAINMENT

The members of Point Richmond Aerie of Eagles have completed arrangements for the entertainment of the Oakland Aerie on the evening of May 28th. The delegation will be headed by Sheriff Barnett and a number of other prominent city officials. President Roy Patterson heads the reception committee for the local lodge.

CATHOLICS WILL OBSERVE HOLY DAY

Tomorrow being Holy Day, or better known as Ascension Day, the members of Our Lady of Mercy Catholic church of the west side have planned special services for the occasion.

In honor of the fortieth day following Easter, a special service is to be held at 9 o'clock.

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS

Notice is hereby given that competitive plans for a city hall with sub-plans for the first unit of said city hall, which said unit is to cost not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000), will be received in the office of the undersigned, Clerk of the City of Richmond, up to the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. of Monday, June 1st, 1914.

A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond.
May 20-21-22-23.

PARKER PLAYERS TO APPEAR AT THE MAJESTIC

The famous Parker Players who have in the past week been playing to packed houses, will again put forth a bill stronger than ever. The work of this company has been well received by the people of this city.

For good, clean and breezy comedy you can see all you want at the Majestic.

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LADIES DON'T MISS THIS GREAT EVENT

Jones and Adkison have inaugurated a three days sale of Ratines that should bring out the feminine population in crowds on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. This firm's up-to-date methods are winning many new customers to the store every day and women eagerly watch the Record-Herald for this store's announcements. Such an offer as the one Jones & Adkison make in their advertisement elsewhere in this issue, is seldom made in even the largest stores around the bay. A large selection of Ratines that formerly sold at 75¢ and 50¢ the yard will be sold during the three days mentioned above at 38¢ a yard. In addition to this excellent offering they will give five extra Home Trading Stamps with every yard of this goods sold during the three days. Their store will undoubtedly be crowded with busy buyers during this special event.

NATIVE DAUGHTERS PLAY WHIST TONIGHT

This evening the members of Richmond Parlor N. D. G. W. will be hosts at a delightful whist party in Sequoia hall. A number of excellent prizes have been secured for the affair.

The committee in charge are Mrs. Shea, Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Lange, and Mrs. Livingston.

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ELKS COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS FOR EXCURSION

Exalted Ruler H. G. Biggs of Richmond Lodge of Elks has completed all arrangements for the members of the local lodge who are to attend the Elk celebration which is to be held in Sacramento starting Saturday and lasting until Monday.

Whether or not a special train will be chartered for the occasion has not been made known but it is probable that the Richmond Bills will join the members of the Oakland and Alameda lodges in making the trip.

State Highway.

From information secured the State Highway commissioners will ask for bids for the construction of that portion of the state highway between Richmond and Pinole within the next few weeks.

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TWO SCHOOL TRUSTEE OPINIONS

(Continued from Page 1)

sults in giving a trustee appointed to fill a vacancy the right to hold office for the full term of his predecessors. Our office is inclined to the opposite view for the reason that subdivision 12 of section 1543 deals with the powers and duties of the Superintendent of Schools and not with the election, appointment or terms of office of School Trustees and therefore, under the familiar rule, subdivision 3 of section 1593, as it deals with the appointment and term of office of school trustees, is the controlling law in regard to such term of office and this, in spite of the fact that the duty of the Superintendent of Schools has been changed or any of his powers enlarged by an amendment to any of the subdivisions of 1593."

In reply, permit me to say that I cannot concur in the view expressed by you.

Section 1593 of the Political Code, as it was prior to 1911, and as it is now, provides in part as follows:

"1593. An election for school trustees must be held in each school district on the first Friday of April of each year. * * *

3. When a vacancy occurs from any of the causes specified in section nine hundred and ninety-six of this code, the county superintendent of schools shall appoint a suitable person to fill such vacancy until the first day of July next succeeding the appointment, and a trustee shall be elected at the next April election, to hold office for the remainder of the term.

4. Except as provided in subdivisions two and three of this section, one trustee shall be elected annually, to hold office for three years from the first day of July next succeeding his election, or until his successor shall be elected, or appointed, and qualified."

Prior to 1911, section 1543 of the Political Code provided in part as follows:

"1543. It is the duty of the county superintendent of schools of each county:* * *

Twelfth. To appoint trustees to fill all vacancies, to hold until the first day of July succeeding such appointment; * * *."

And at the same time section 1613 of that Code provided:

"1613. The term of office of school trustees is three years from the first day of July next succeeding their election."

As they thus stood, these three sections harmonize; the election for School Trustee was held in April of each year, and the elected member assumed office the first day of July next succeeding this election, and held for a period of three years thereafter. In the event of a vacancy occurring in that office, it was then the duty of the County Superintendent to appoint a Trustee to fill the vacancy who held until the first day of July succeeding the appointment and a trustee was to be elected at the next April election succeeding the appointment, to hold office for the remainder of the term.

Section 1593 still remains the same, but in 1911 section 1543 was amended to its present form, and now reads in part as follows:

"1543. It is the duty of the county superintendent of schools of each county:

Twelfth. To appoint trustees to fill all vacancies for the full term thereof; * * *."

And in the same year section 1613 was amended to its present form as follows:

"1613. The term of office of school trustees is three years from the first day of May next succeeding their election."

It will thus be seen that the sections can no longer be harmonized. The two sections 1543 and 1613, as they stand at present, are in harmony with each other, but each is in conflict with section 1593. To the extent that each of them conflicts with section 1593, to that extent must each, being a later expression of the legislative will upon the subject matter dealt with therein, be treated as impliedly repealing the provisions of section 1593.

It is true that section 1593 deals with the election, term of office, and the filling of vacancies in office, of School Trustees, and section 1543 deals with the powers and duties of the Superintendent of Schools. But it may be questioned whether one is any more a special section with respect to vacancies than is the other, for in dealing with the power to appoint to fill a vacancy there is necessarily included the subject of the term for which such appointment shall extend. However this may be, I am convinced that the same subject matter is here dealt with in both sections 1543 and 1593, and, therefore, the later expression of the legislature must be given effect, especially when it appears, as here, from the amendments to both sections 1543 and 1613, that it was the intention of the legislature to reframe the law upon the subject.

Therefore, it follows that in the event of a vacancy in the office of School Trustee it is the duty of the County Superintendent under section 1543 to appoint a trustee to fill that vacancy for the full term thereof; and the term of the one so appointed will expire three years from the first day of May next succeeding the election at which the one who vacated the office was elected.

Yours very truly,
U. S. WEBB,
Attorney General.

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A FINE NEW SCHEME

Mrs. James Watson, editor and publisher of the Dearborn, Mo., Democrat, has the following suggestion to make to booze fighters: "To the married man who cannot get along without his drinks, we suggest the following as a means to freedom from the bondage of the habit: Start a saloon in your own house. Be the only customer. You will have no license to pay. Go to your wife and give her $2 to buy a gallon of whisky, and remember there are sixty-nine drinks in one gallon."

Come and try our poor tables—Standard Billiard Parlor, 702 Macdonald Ave. tf

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May 25th

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BASE BALL CHAT AND DOPE

BOOSTER RALLY THIS EVENING

President Howard French of the Baseball Boosters' club of this city will preside over the meeting to be held this evening in the Daily Independent offices on Macdonald avenue, for the purpose of raising funds for the local club. Although the club is not as yet on the "rocks" is is sorely in need of financial aid.

Fans, we make this plea to you as genuine critics of the brand of ball that has been dished up to you of late by the local team which should in itself make you relish for the National pastime cause you to release a few shekals that the local club may once again regain its feet and travel with the rest of the teams toward the pennant pole.

The team that is at the present time representing this city in the Bay Counties Industrial League is composed of some of the fastest semi-professional players that can be had and the way that they have been trimming their opposing pennant chasers is in no way to be thought light of. From the earliest days of baseball in this city the chief drawback has been the lack of funds and not a famine for ball players as every fan knows that Richmond has sent out as many if not more material to the big brush than any other city her size upon the coast. Therefore, fans and boosters, for a penmant winning team help the boys along by attending the boosters' meeting this evening.

LEAGUE GAMES

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

Chicago 4, Pittsburg 0.
Baltimore 7, Kansas City 3.
Buffalo 11, St. Louis 3.
Indianapolis 15, Brooklyn 2.

Standing of the Clubs

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Baltimore	16	6	.727
St. Louis	15	11	.577
Chicago	11	9	.550
Indianapolis	12	11	.522
Brooklyn	10	10	.500
Buffalo	10	13	.435
Kansas City	10	17	.370
Pittsburg	8	17	.320

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

Chicago 3, Philadelphia 0.
St. Louis 3, New York 0.
Boston 6, Detroit 4.
Washington 4, Cleveland 2.

Standing of the Clubs

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	19	10	.665
Philadelphia	14	9	.609
Washington	14	12	.538
St. Louis	14	13	.519
New York	11	13	.458
Boston	11	13	.458
Chicago	13	17	.433
Cleveland	9	18	.333

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

Chicago 6, Philadelphia 1.
Pittsburg 7, Boston 5.
New York 5, Cincinnati 2.
St. Louis 6, Brooklyn 2.

Standing of the Clubs

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg	15	9	.625
Cincinnati	16	12	.571
New York	12	8	.600
Brooklyn	11	11	.500
Philadelphia	11	11	.500
Chicago	14	16	.467
St. Louis	14	16	.467
Boston	5	17	.227

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Vancouver	25	12	.676
Seattle	21	13	.618
Spokane	19	16	.543
Tacoma	18	19	.486
Portland	15	21	.417
Victoria	9	26	.257

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

Portland 6, Oakland 5 (ten innings.)
Sacramento 2, Venice 1.
San Francisco 7, Los Angeles 4.

Standing of the Clubs

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Venice	27	19	.587
San Francisco	27	20	.574
Los Angeles	24	22	.522
Sacramento	22	23	.489
Portland	17	24	.415
Oakland	18	27	.400

HOW TO GET RID OF PLANTION

A weed that injures the beauty of many lawns is the plantain, of which there are two varieties; the buckhorn, or rib grass; and the common, or broad leaf.

The same methods that apply to eradicating the dandelion apply to the plantain except the method of poisoning the individual plant. Instead of cutting off the top and sprinkling the root with salt as is done in the case of the dandelion, the individual plantain may best be removed by pulling up by the root after a heavy rain when the ground is wet. The plantain does not offer a difficult problem as the roots are pulled up readily, even from clay soil, after a heavy rain.

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Turner & Dahnken Circuit

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

"THE THREE SCRATCH CLUE," 2-Reel Drama, Essanay.

"THE MIDNIGHT CALL," A Selig Drama.

"THE DOCTOR'S TRUST," A Biograph Drama.

"DINKELSPIEL'S BABY," Edison Comedy.

RING UP CURTAIN ON BOYS SPRING FESTIVAL TONIGHT

This evening the boys of the Baraca class of the Wesley Methodist church will ring up the curtain for the opening night of their Spring Festival which will run wide open to the public of this city for both this evening and tomorrow night. The program and those who will have charge of the various affairs follow:

The Baracaville bank, it is expected, with Fred Rhoades at the helm, will do a thriving business, converting Uncle Sam's coin into Baracaville spending stuff. And there will be places to spend it too. The ice cream cornucopia kids, Bloomquist and Hill, will be on the job with both feet. Brothers Bastin, the musical lads, will be there too, with lard in their hair and their ears pinned back.

Others to take part in the program are R. Cornmany, W. C. Bryant, R. N. Washburn, R. L. Rose, and Ernest Sowell, comprising the Baraca quartet. Cartooning by Walter Hadley, and a pillow fight, under the dignified auspices of Vernon Welch and the members of the happy family will also be features.

STUDENTS PREPARE TO ENTERTAIN

The students of the Richmond High school have arranged a very enjoyable program for the entertainment of the eighth grades of this city on Friday afternoon, at the conclusion of which a banquet will be served by the girls of the domestic science class.

WANTED—Large, clean, cotton rags at the Record-Herald office.

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 228

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO ORDER THE CONSTRUCTION OF STORM SEWERS IN CERTAIN STREETS, AND CREATING AN ASSESSMENT DISTRICT TO BE ASSESSED FOR THE COSTS, CHARGES AND EXPENSES THEREOF.

Be It Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond, as follows:

That the public interest and convenience require and that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond to order the following work to be done, to wit:

That a twenty-four (24) inch pipe sewer be laid along a line parallel to and 23 feet northerly from the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard, from the termination of the existing sewer on the center line of Ashland Avenue to the center line of Wine Street; that a thirty (30) inch pipe sewer be laid along the above described line from the center line of Wine Street to the center line of Canal Street, and that a twelve (12) inch pipe sewer be laid along the said line from the center line of Canal Street to the center line of Wernse Street.

That two thirty (30) inch pipe sewers be laid side by side along the center line of Canal Street extended southerly, from a point 23 feet northerly from the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard to a point 165 feet southerly from the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard; and that a concrete portal be constructed at the said last named point.

That a thirty (30) inch pipe sewer be laid along the center line of Canal Street from a point 23 feet northerly from the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard to a point 14 feet southerly from the northerly line of Virginia Street, and that a twenty-four (24) inch pipe sewer be laid along the center line of Canal Street, from a point 14 feet southerly from the northerly line of Virginia Street to the northerly line of Ohio Street, and that a concrete portal be constructed at the said last named point.

That a twelve (12) inch pipe sewer be laid along a line 14 feet southerly from the northerly line of Virginia Street from the center line of Canal Street to a point 12 feet westerly from the easterly line of Mission Street.

That a twenty-four (24) inch pipe sewer be laid along the center line of Wine Street from a point 23 feet northerly from the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard to a point 2 feet northerly from the northerly line of Richmond Avenue.

All pipe to be salt glazed, vitrified ironstone sewer pipe of the sizes mentioned.

That manholes of brick with cast iron rims and covers be constructed on the aforesaid line in Cutting Boulevard, at the following points, viz: At the termination of the existing sewer in Ashland Avenue, and on the center lines of the following streets: Wine, Central, Nye, Canal, Shoshone, Market, Averill, and Wernse Streets; along the aforesaid line in Canal Street, at a point 14 feet southerly from the southerly lines of Virginia, Maine, Florida and Ohio Streets; and along the aforesaid line on Virginia Street at points 12 feet westerly from the easterly lines of Shoshone, Commercial, Market and Mission Streets, and on the center line of Wine Street at a point 2 feet northerly from the northerly line of Richmond Avenue.

That inlets of concrete with cast iron grates and with vitrified pipe connections to the nearest manhole, be constructed at the following points: On the northerly line of Cutting Boulevard at the easterly curb line of Ashland Avenue; on the northerly and southerly curb lines of Cutting Boulevard, at each of the following points: On the easterly and westerly lines of Wine Street, Central Street, Nye Street, Shoshone Street, Market Street, Averill Street, and Wernse Street; on the westerly curb of Wine Street at the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard; on the easterly and westerly lines of Canal Street, at the following points: On the northerly and southerly curb lines of Virginia Street, the northerly curb line of Maine Street, the northerly curb line of Florida Street, and the northerly curb line of Ohio Street; on the northerly and southerly curb lines of Virginia Street on the easterly lines of Shoshone, Commercial and Market Streets, and on the southerly curb line of Virginia Street, at the easterly line of Mission Street.

All of said work and improvement to be done in accordance with Plans and Specifications No. 228, adopted therefor, and now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being hereby especially made.

And the Council does hereby determine and declare that the public interest and convenience requires that said work and improvement should be done, and that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local and ordinary public benefit, and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared and established to be the district benefited by said work and improvement, and that the cost and expense of said work or improvement shall be, and is hereby, made chargeable against, and shall be assessed upon such land and district, all of which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the northwesterly line of Ashland Avenue and the southerly line of Macdonald Avenue, as now existing, thence easterly along said southerly line of Macdonald Avenue to its intersection with the westerly line of Tenth Street, thence southerly along the said westerly line of Tenth Street to its intersection with the southerly line of the City of Richmond Tract, as shown on the Amended Map of the City of Richmond, filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 31st day of March, 1905; thence westerly along the said southerly line of the City of Richmond Tract to its intersection with the easterly line of Lot Forty-three (43), as shown on "Map of San Pablo Rancho, accompanying and forming a part of the Report of the Referees in Partition" dated September 1, 1893, and on file in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California; thence southerly along the said easterly line of Lot Forty-three (43), and its extension southerly to a point which is 165 feet distant southerly along said line from the southerly line of Cutting Boulevard, as shown on "Amended Map No. 1 of the Canal Subdivision" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 6th day of July, 1907; thence westerly parallel to and 165 feet southerly from said southerly line of Cutting Boulevard to a point 100 feet easterly at right angles from the easterly line of Wine Street, as shown on "Map of Tract No. 2, Canal Subdivision, School Addition" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 5th day of February, 1912; thence southerly on a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Wine Street to the northerly line of Richmond Avenue as now existing; thence in a general southeasterly direction along the said northerly line of Ashland Avenue to its intersection with the extension easterly of the southerly line of East Richmond, as shown on the "Amended Map of East Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 5th day of March, 1904; thence southwesterly along the said southerly boundary of East Richmond, to its intersection with the northerly line of Buena Vista Avenue, at Station 69 of said Buena Vista Avenue, as shown on said Amended Map of East Richmond; thence continuing southwesterly in a direct extension of the last described course to its intersection with the southerly line of said Buena Vista Avenue; thence in a general westerly direction along the said southerly line of Buena Vista Avenue to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Lot Forty-four (44) of the said San Pablo Rancho; thence in a general northwesterly direction along the southwesterly line of said Lot Forty-four (44) to the most southerly corner of Block Forty-nine (49), as shown on "Revised Map of Bay View Addition to the Town of Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 6th day of December, 1912; thence along the westerly line of said Block Forty-nine (49) to the most northerly corner of Lot Five (5), said Block Forty-nine (49); thence to the most southerly corner of Block Fifty (50), said Bay View Addition; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot Eight (8), said Block Fifty (50); thence to the most northerly corner of Lot Nine (9), said Block Fifty (50); thence to the northwesterly corner of Block Fifteen (15), as shown on "Map of the Third Addition to the Town of Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 17th day of June, 1901; thence to the northwesterly corner of Block Five (5), as shown on the "Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 10th day of November, 1900; thence along the northerly line of said Block Five (5), to the northeasterly corner thereof; thence to the most northerly corner of Lot Four (4), Block Two (2), as shown on said Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond; thence to the most easterly corner of said Lot Four (4); thence to the most northerly corner of Lot Ten (10), Block "A", Nicholl Subdivision of the Town of Richmond, as shown on "Map of Nicholl Subdivision of the Town of Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 28th day of August, 1900; thence to the most easterly corner of said Lot Ten (10); thence to the most northerly corner of Lot Five (5), Block "B", as shown on "Map of Resubdivision of Block "B" of Nicholl Subdivision of the Town of Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on May 27, 1901; thence to the most easterly corner of Lot Six (6), said Block "B"; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-one (21), Block "C", said Nicholl Subdivision; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot Twenty-one (21); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Sixteen (16), said Block "C"; thence easterly along the northerly line of said Lot Sixteen (16), and its extension easterly to the center line of the easterly main line track of the Atchinson, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, as now located; thence in a general northeasterly direction along the center line of the said track to its intersection with the northerly line of Ohio Street, as now existing, extended westerly; thence easterly along the said extension of the northerly line of Ohio Street to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Ashland Avenue; thence northeasterly along the said northwesterly line of Ashland Avenue to its intersection with the southerly line of Macdonald Avenue, as now existing, and the point of commencement.

Saving, excluding and excepting from said assessment district all public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, crossings and places therein included and contained.

Said district being as shown on Sheet No. 2 of Plans No. 228, adopted for the above improvement, as hereinbefore stated.

The Richmond Record-Herald, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City of Richmond, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published, and the Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby directed to cause this resolution of intention to be published by two insertions in said newspaper in the manner required by said "Improvement Act of 1911" and the Superintendent of Streets is hereby directed to cause to be conspicously posted along the line of said contemplated work notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and from required by said "Improvement Act of 1911."

This resolution of intention is adopted under the provisions of the "Improvement Act of 1911" approved April 7, 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of intention was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Richmond, on May 13th, 1914, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen Follett, Garrard, Femald, Hartnett, Penry, Picton, Willis and Ludewig.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: Councilman Lane.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond on this 19th day of May, 1914.

(SEAL) A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.

Approved:
O. R. LUDEWIG, Mayor.

First publication May 20, 1914.
Last publication May 21, 1914.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF RICHMOND REALTY AND INVESTMENT COMPANY FOR VOLUNTARY DISSOLUTION.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa.

In the matter of the application for the dissolution of the Richmond Realty & Investment Company.

Notice is hereby given that the application of Richmond Realty & Investment Company, a corporation, for a decree dissolving said corporation has been filed in this Court, and will be heard on Monday, the 25th day of May, 1914, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, at the Court Room of said Court, in the Court House, in the City of Martines, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and all persons are hereby directed to file their objections to said application at any time on or before the hearing thereof.

Dated: Martines, Contra Costa County, California, April 21, 1914.
(Seal Superior Court)

J. H. WELLS,
By C. T. BARKLEY, Clerk.
Deputy Clerk.

Apr 22-29; May 6-13-20

EXTENDING AND WIDENING OF TENTH STREET

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF ASSESSMENT ROLL IN THE MATTER OF EXTENDING AND WIDENING TENTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SOUTHERLY FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF THE RIGHT OF WAY OF THE OAKLAND BRANCH OF THE ATCHISON-TOPEKA & SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY TO THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF THE SAN PABLO RANCHO, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 169 OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll in the matter of extending and widening of Tenth Street southerly from the northerly line of the right of way of the Oakland Branch of the Atchison-Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company to the southerly line of the San Pablo Rancho, in the City of Richmond, to-wit:

A certified copy of the report, assessment and plat made and filed by the commissioners appointed to assess the benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work as above described, as finally confirmed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at its regular session of May 4th, 1914, has been forwarded to and filed in the office of the undersigned, Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond.

All sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately.

The payment of said sums is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice.

All assessments not paid before the expiration of the said thirty (30) days will be declared to be delinquent and thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment will be added thereto.

Dated at the office of Superintendent of Streets, this 12th day of May, 1914.

H. D. CHAPMAN,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond.

First publication May 12, 1914.
Last publication May 22, 1914.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1914.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting for school trustees, on March 3rd, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at municipal elections, on March 13, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the primary election, on July 25th, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 3rd, 1914.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 22nd, 1914.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are registration deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Faris, City Hall; I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer's Office; Geo. K. Drew, Pt. Richmond; Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald avenue; Katherine Zimmerman, 422 C. St.; Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington St.; W. N. Younglove, 2219 Macdonald Ave.; Mary A. Shoemaker, 1024 Barrett Ave.; H. H. Turley, 724 S. 30th St.; Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissell Ave.; D. A. Knowles, 340 20th St.; F. J. Frost, 517 Ripley Ave.; C. B. O'Hara, 434 Fourth St.; Anna Belle Jarvis, 544 20th St.; N. M. Blankenship, 528 Third St.; F. H. Eggerth, 519 14th St.; C. W. Luckett, Pt. Richmond; W. F. Petillon; Geo. E. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave.; B. B. Pierce, Park Place; Trthur H. Taylor, Winehaven.

Stege—W. H. Johnston.
San Pablo—Geo. E. Valencia.
Stege Junction—W. F. Huber.

Rust—F. J. White.
Giant—W. H. Williams.
Pinole—E. C. Ehsen, E. M. Downer, J. T. Fraser, Zittella Buckley, Mrs. Lucia Robinson.
Hercules—A. M. Ashenfelter.

Rodeo—Mrs. Marie Smith.
Selby—Alex J. Reilly, J. E. Horvat.

First publication, Jan. 24, 1914.
Last Publication, Oct. 3, 1914.

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G. A. R. MEMORIAL SERVICES AT THE WESLEY CHURCH

On Sunday evening, May 24th, memorial services for the old soldiers will be held at the Wesley M. E. church. The following notice has been issued by Levi Boswell, the commander of the local camp of the Grand Army of the Republic:

Richmond Post No. 201, G. A. R. and Ladies of the G. A. R. Circle:

You are requested to meet at Bank hall promptly at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday evening, May 24th, 1914. We will form in line at 7:45 and march to the Wesley M. E. church where we will hold services in memory of those of us who have answered to the last call to the bivouac of the dead.

Rev. D. W. Calfee will officiate at the church.

Carry your colors draped in mourning.

The public is invited to attend.

By order of,
LEVI BOSWELL,
Commander.
C. H. McCAUSLAND,
Adjutant.
HENRY GALVIN,
Quartermaster.
Richmond Post 201, G. A. R.

NINE DELEGATES LEAVE FOR MEET

Nine delegates left this city on Monday morning to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias of California, which is convening in Sacramento. Those attending the convention from Contra Costa Temple Pythian Sisters follow: Mrs. Mary Lucas, Mrs. A. B. McVicker, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davis, Mrs. Bertha Cassidy, Miss Anna Bloom and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Young. Mrs. Mary Lucas is the official delegate from the lodge.

DECIDES GAS RATES ARE TWO HIGH

The Federal Commissioner has decided that the rate the Pacific Gas & Electric has been collecting of eighty-five cents per 1000 feet for gas is too high, and that seventy-five cents per 1000 will return a sufficient revenue on the investment made.

In Oakland, Berkeley and even at the county line the rate paid is ninety cents, but when you cross the county line it is $1.25 per 1000 feet.

BOURBON DAY TO BE A BIG EVENT

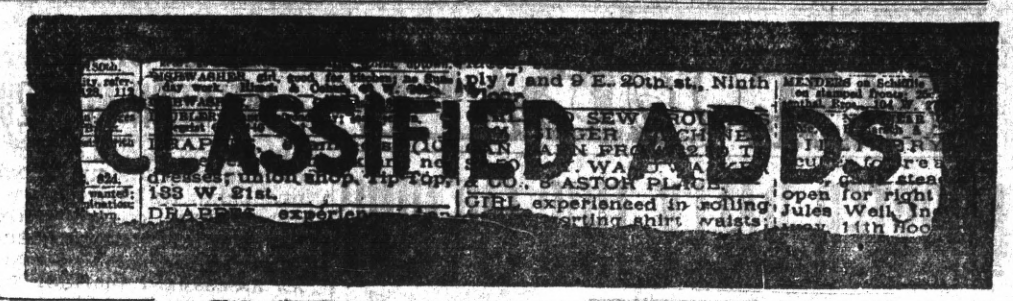
Among the many notables who will be present in this city on Wednesday, June 17, Bourbon Day, will be former mayor of San Francisco James D. Phelan, and Theodore Bell.

The committee in charge of the affair is arranging to have some of the biggest Democrats in this section of the state present on that day. A banquet will be served in Elks' hall.

ADDITION MADE TO MICHAEL RESIDENCE

City Architect Ogborn today issued a permit to M. Michaels for modern repairs to be made to his residence on the west side of Seventh street, between Macdonald and Nevin avenues to cost in the neighborhood of $2500.

The work when completed will make it one of the most up-to-date buildings on that street.



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8....	.70	1.20	1.60	2.50	4.00
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10....	.90	1.50	2.00	3.00	5.00

Classified ads will be taken over the phone and collections made by messenger on payment of 10c extra for messenger service.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 acres walnuts near Walnut Creek, right at O. & A. Ry. station. Trees beginning to bear. Will sell or trade. Address F. N. McCauley, El Portal, Cal. May 9 24t

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FOR SALE—Model 35, 1912, Buick touring car, in first class condition, fully equipped. Phone 71 or apply 611 Macdonald avenue. May 18 tf

FOR RENT—Four room apartment, new and modern. Wall bed, garage in rear; ½ blk. from Macdonald ave., on 6th. Apply offices of Lester & Plate. May 15 tf

FOR SALE—Second hand office and chamber Rattan furniture, maps, pictures, gas heater, typewriter stand, 100 sets Los Angeles modern bungalow plans, specifications and details complete, $5 each. See what I have, one or all. Room 17, Pillow Bldg. May 11th tf

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the Stockholders of RECORD-HERALD COMPANY, a corporation, will be held at the office of the company, at No. 314 Sixth street in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of June, 1914, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year.

The said meeting will also be held for the purpose of amending the by-laws of said corporation, and repealing all of the provisions of the existing by-laws in conflict with such amendments, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Every stockholder is requested to be present in person or by proxy.

J. L. KENNON,
Secretary.
Dated at Richmond, Cal., May 15th, 1914. May 16 td

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NOTICE OF AWARD OF CONTRACT NO. 218-2

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution of Award No. 218-2, of the City Council of the City of Richmond, directing this notice,

NOTICE is hereby given that said City Council, in open session on the 18th day of May, 1914, publicly opened, examined and declared all sealed bids or proposals offered for the following work, to-wit:

That Santa Fe Avenue from the southwesterly line of Richmond Avenue to a line drawn at right angles to the center line of said Santa Fe Avenue, through the southeasterly corner of Block Fifteen (15) of the Third Addition to the Town of Richmond, including the intersection of Nicholl Avenue and the termination of Piedmont Place with said Santa Fe Avenue, be graded to its full width to the official lines and grades, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed and guttered with cement concrete and have cement concrete sidewalks constructed thereon.

That Nicholl Avenue from the northwesterly line of Santa Fe Avenue to the southeasterly line of Martina Street; and Piedmont Place from the northwesterly line of Santa Fe Avenue to the southeasterly line of Martina Street, be graded to their full widths to the official lines and grades, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed and guttered with cement concrete and have cement concrete sidewalks constructed thereon.

That culverts of corrugated iron and concrete be constructed at the following places: On the northwesterly curb line of Santa Fe Avenue across Nicholl Avenue and across Piedmont Place.

That a manhole of brick and concrete, with cast iron ring and cover, be constructed at each of the following places: At the intersection of the center line of Santa Fe Avenue and the center line of Nicholl Avenue, and at the intersection of the center line of Santa Fe Avenue and the center line of Piedmont Place.

Excepting from the above work any part now in to the official lines, grades and specifications, and further excepting any of said work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon.

All the above described work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 16th day of March, 1914, and numbered 218-2, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being especially made.

And the Council does hereby determine and declare that the public interest and convenience requires that said work and improvement should be done, and that said proposed work and improvement is of more than ordinary or local public benefit, and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared and established to be the district benefited by said work and improvement, and that the costs, charges and expenses of said work, including incidental expenses, shall be and are hereby made chargeable against, and shall be assessed upon such lands and district, all of which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the most northerly corner of Lot One (1), Block Three (3), as said lot and block are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled "Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on November 10, 1900; thence southeasterly to the most easterly corner of said Lot One (1), Block Three (3); thence southwesterly to the most southerly corner of said Lot One (1), Block Three (3); thence southeasterly to the most easterly corner of Lot Four (4), said Block Three (3) Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond; thence southwesterly to the most southerly corner of Lot Four (4), Block Twelve (12), as said lot and block are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled "Map of Third Addition to Town of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on June 17, 1901; thence northwesterly to the most westerly corner of said Lot Four (4), Block Twelve (12); thence westerly to the most southerly corner of Lot One (1), Block Fifteen (15), said Map of Third Addition to Town of Richmond; thence northwesterly to the most southerly corner of Lot Three (3), said Block Fifteen (15); thence northwesterly to the most westerly corner of said Lot Three (3), Block Fifteen (15); thence northerly to the most southerly corner of Lot Six (6), said Block Fifteen (15); thence northwesterly to the most westerly corner of said Lot Six (6), Block Fifteen (15); thence northeasterly to the most northerly corner of Lot Six (6), Block Four (4), Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond aforesaid; thence southeasterly to the most easterly corner of said Lot Six (6), Block Four (4); thence northeasterly to the most northerly corner of Lot One (1) said Block Four (4); thence southeasterly along the southwesterly line of Richmond Avenue to the most northerly corner of Lot One (1), Block Three (3), aforesaid, and the point of beginning. Being all within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California. Saving, excluding and excepting from said district all lanes, alleys, streets, avenues, and places therein included and contained.

That said City Council, under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five (25) dollars or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date and until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days in January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) Per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

And thereafter on the 18th day of May, 1914, by Resolution of Award No. 218-2, awarded the contract for said work to the lowest responsible bidder, to wit: To L. L. Page, at the prices named for said work in his proposal on file, namely:

For Street Work,

For Excavating, $.60 Per Cubic Yard.

For Filling, $.00 Per Cubic Yard.

For Paving with Oil Macadam, $.10¼ Per Square Foot.

For Cement Sidewalk, $.14 Per Square Foot.

For Gutters, $.16 Per Square Foot.

For Curbing, $.32 Per Linear Foot.

For Culverts, 8-inch Iron Pipe, $1.20 Per Linear Foot.

For 10-inch Iron Pipe Culverts, $1.30 Per Linear Foot.

For 12-inch Iron Pipe Culverts, $1.50 Per Linear Foot.

For Manholes, complete, $40.00 Per Manhole.

Said award has been duly approved by the Mayor of the City of Richmond.

Dated May 19th, 1914.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of City of Richmond.
First publication May 19, 1914.
Last publication May 20, 1914.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Rhoades, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 25th day of May A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, have been appointed as the time and place for proving Will of said Henry Rhoades, deceased, and for hearing the application of Fredericka A. Rhoades for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary.

Dated, Martinez, May 12, 1914.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
By G. T. BARKLEY, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: No. 3792.
Filed May 12, 1914. J. H. Wells, Clerk; by G. T. Barkley, Deputy Clerk.

ODELL & HALL,
Attorneys for Petitioner, Richmond, California.
First publication May 13, 1914.
Last publication May 23, 1914.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Office of the Clerk of the City Council of the City of Richmond, City Hall, Richmond, California.

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the City Council of the City of Richmond in his office in the City Hall in the City of Richmond, California, until Monday, the 25th day of May, 1914, at 8:00 o'clock P. M. of said day, for the construction of a portion of the highway known as Ashland Avenue and being in the City of Richmond, Contra Costa County, California, and all as described and shown in and upon the contract, Further Notice to Bidders, Specifications and Plans, and Supplementary Specifications and plans for the work, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, and which, for the purpose of more definite descriptions, are made a part hereof.

All bids must be submitted on the proposal sheets furnished each bidder. Notice to bidders, proposal sheets, contract, contractor's bonds, specifications and plans, etc., can be obtained at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, California, or at the office of P. A. Haviland, of Haviland & Tibbetts, Alaska Commercial Building, San Francisco, California, on the deposit of Twenty Dollars ($20) by the prospective bidder.

All bids shall be subject to the requirements of the above. All bids which in the judgment of the City Council present unbalanced unit prices considered in relation to their unit prices, will be rejected. The right is reserved by the City Council of the City of Richmond to reject any or all proposals or bids. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check made payable to the Clerk of the City Council of the City of Richmond, in the sum of at least five (5) per cent of the total amount of the bid.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City Council of the City of Richmond, Contra Costa County, California.
May 19-20.

NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT INVITING PROPOSALS THEREFOR

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution Ordering Work No. 231 of the Council of the City of Richmond, adopted May 18th, 1914, directing this notice, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the following described Street Work, ordered by said Council, and to be done according to the Specifications No. 231 posted, and on file in my office, and therefor adopted by said Council on the 20th day of April, 1914, by Resolution Adopting Plans, etc., No. 231, to which reference for particulars is hereby made, namely:

That Fifteenth Street from the southerly line of Chanslor Avenue to the northerly line of the right-of-way of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway, be graded to its full width, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed, guttered and sidewalked with cement concrete. Excluding therefrom any of the above work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon, and excepting any of the above work now in to the official line, grade and specifications.

All the above described work to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 20th day of April, 1914, and numbered 231, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being hereby especially made.

That said City Council, under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain Act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date and until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

Sealed proposals are hereby invited to be filed in the office of the undersigned, City Clerk of said City, on or before 8 o'clock P. M., Monday, June 1st, 1914.

Bidders must file with each proposal a Check, certified by a responsible Bank, payable to the order of the City of Richmond, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of said proposal, or a Bond for said amount, payable as aforesaid, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before an officer authorized to administer an oath, in double the said amount, over and above all Statutory exemptions. Bids received as above will be opened at 8:30 P. M. of said last named day.

Dated at the Clerk's office, City of Richmond, this 19th day of May, 1914.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond.
First publication May 19, 1914.
Last publication May 20, 1914.

NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT INVITING PROPOSALS THEREFOR

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution ordering work No. 229, of the Council of the City of Richmond, adopted May 18th, 1914, directing this notice, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the following described Street Work, ordered by said Council and to be done according to the specifications No. 229, posted and on file in my office, and therefor adopted by said Council on the 20th day of April, 1914, by Resolution Adopting Plans, etc., No. 229, to which reference for particulars is hereby made, namely:

That Twelfth Streeet from the southerly line of Chanslor Avenue to the northerly line of the right-of-way of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway, be graded to its full width, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed, guttered and sidewalked with cement concrete. Excluding therefrom any of above work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon, and excepting any of the above work now in to the official line, grade and specifications.

All the above described work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said council held on the 20th day of April, 1914, and numbered 229, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being hereby especially made.

That said City Council under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor or five (5) days after the decision of said Council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

Sealed proposals are hereby invited to be filed in the office of the undersigned, City Clerk of said City, on or before 8 o'clock P. M., Monday, June 1st, 1914.

Bidders must file with each proposal a Check, certified by a responsible bank, payable to the order of the City of Richmond, for an amount which shall be not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of said proposal, or a Bond for said amount, payable as aforesaid, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before an officer authorized to administer an oath, in double the said amount, over and above all Statutory exemptions. Bids received as above will be opened at 8:30 P. M. of said last named day.

Dated at the Clerk's office, City of Richmond, this 19th day of May, 1914.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond.
First publication May 19, 1914.
Last publication May 20, 1914.

NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT INVITING PROPOSALS THEREFOR

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution Ordering Work No. 230, of the Council of the City of Richmond, adopted May 18th, 1914, directing this notice, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the following described Street Work, ordered by said Council, and to be done according to the Specifications No. 230, posted, and on file in my office, and therefor adopted by said Council on the 20th day of April, 1914, by Resolution adopting Plans, etc., No. 230, to which reference for particulars is hereby made, namely:

That Fourteenth Street from the southerly line of Chanslor Avenue to the northerly line of the right-of-way of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway, be graded to its full width, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed, guttered and sidewalked with cement concrete. Excluding therefrom any of the above work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon, and excepting any of the above work now in to the official line, grade and specifications.

All the above described work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 20th day of April, 1914, and numbered 230, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being hereby especially made.

That said City Council, under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

Sealed proposals are hereby invited to be filed in the office of the undersigned, City Clerk of said City, on or before 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, June 1st, 1914.

Bidders must file with each proposal a Check, certified by a responsible Bank, payable to the order of the City of Richmond, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of said proposal, or a Bond for said amount, payable as aforesaid, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before an officer authorized to administer an oath, in double the said amount, over and above all Statutory exemptions. Bids received as above will be opened at 8:30 P. M. of said last named day.

Dated at the Clerk's office, City of Richmond, this 19th day of April, 1914.

(SEAL) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond
First publication May 19, 1914.
Last publication May 20, 1914.

WIDENING OF TENTH STREET

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF ASSESSMENT ROLL IN THE MATTER OF THE WIDENING OF TENTH STREET IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, NORTHERLY FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF BARRETT AVENUE TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF THE RICHMOND BOULEVARD TRACT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 217, OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SAID CITY OF RICHMOND, ADOPTED THE 5th DAY OF JANUARY, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll in the matter of widening of Tenth Street, northerly from the northerly line of Barrett Avenue to the northerly line of the Richmond Boulevard Tract, in the City of Richmond, to-wit:

A certified copy of the report, assessment and plat made and filed by the commissioners appointed to assess the benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work as above described, as finally confirmed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at its regular session of May 4th, 1914, has been forwarded to and filed in the office of the undersigned, Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond.

All sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately.

The payment of said sums is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice.

All assessments not paid before the expiration of the said thirty (30) days will be declared to be delinquent and thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment will be added thereto.

Dated at the office of Superintendent, of Streets, this 12th day of May, 1914.

H. D. CHAPMAN,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond.
First publication May 12, 1914.
Last publication May 22, 1914.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

1914

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for them, at 12 'clock meridian, on

First Monday of March, 1914

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1914.

The STATE POLL TAX of Two Dollars and ROAD POLL TAX of Two Dollars each are now due and payable at this office, or to a Deputy Assessor.

STATE POLL TAX and ROAD POLL TAX are due and payable on demand.

G. O. MEESE,
County Assessor.
First Publication, Feb. 19.
Last Publication, June 1.

LAND OPEN FOR SETTLEMENT

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LOCAL MENTION

Pertinent remarks about well-known people in Richmond and happenings about town.

Apartment House.

The big three-story apartment house and business block on Macdonald avenue, east of Twenty-third street, is fast nearing completion.

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Sidewalk Work.

Sidewalks, curbs and gutters on the north side of Macdonald avenue, east of Twenty-third street, are being installed.

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Council Meeting.

An adjourned session of the council will be held tonight at which important matters will be taken up and disposed of.

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Attend Convention.

The members of the board of supervisors of this county are attending a convention of supervisors at Merced. These state conventions are always productive of much good.

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Relative Elected.

Roy Walters was reelected as city clerk of San Jose by a large majority. Mr. Walters is a cousin of City Treasurer Vaughn.

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On a Visit.

After spending several days in Santa Rosa Mrs. H. G. Biggs has returned to her home in Richmond, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Comstock.

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Registrations.

Registrations are still flowing into the county clerk's office at Martinez from deputies in all sections of the county. It is believed that the total registration this year will be nearly 14,000. The Republicans are far in the lead.

Assessment Bills.

The bills on the widening of 10th street are being mailed out by the city engineer's office.

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New Warehouse.

A new warehouse for the Alhambra Mineral water company will be erected in the industrial district along the line of the Southern Pacific.

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On the Run Again.

After much repair work the Santa Fe ferry boat, San Pablo, is on the run again.

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Ne wShine Stand.

A new bootblack stand is being erected on Macdonald avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets, in front of the Central shaving parlor. The big plate glass windows have been moved back in order to make room for the new stand.

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To Quiet Title.

H. D. Chapman and wife have instituted suit to quiet title to a piece of land in the San Pablo rancho.

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Twenty-third Opening.

The temporary injunction that was secured by Herbert F. Brown preventing City Engineer Chapman from selling all property delinquent on the street opening assessment, will come up for hearing before Judge Latimer a week from tomorrow.

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Barber Shop.

A new barber shop is to be opened on the first of the month in the store on Macdonald avenue now occupied by the Richmond bakery.

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Politicians Around.

What are generally termed as "politicians" are beginning to appear on the streets of the city. At nearly every corner you have a hand greeting you.

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FINAL EXHIBIT DRAWS THRONGS THIS AFTERNOON

The work exhibit for the past year of the students of the various grammar schools which was snown for the last time this afternoon in the auditorium of the Lincoln Grammar school proved to a a record breaking affair for attendance.

The exhibition which has attracted throngs of people, was in charge of Miss Mabel Woodman, supervisor in drawing of the various schools of this city.

SUICIDE CASE TO BE PROBED THIS EVENING

Coroner C. L. Abbott accompanied by Deputy Coroner E. B. Smallwood will leave for San Francisco this evening where they will question the crew of the river steamer W. T. Walker, on which it is thought an unknown man committed suicide on the night of January 18th, while the ship was passing Point Orient, bound for Stockton.

About one week following the report of the accident a badly decomposed body of a man was found floating underneath the Point Orient wharf by the crew of pile driver at work at that place.

RESIDENTS OBJECT TO BITULITHIC

The residents in the vicinity of the Pullman works are up in arms over what they term deception practiced on them by solicitors for street paving concerns. They assert they were unwittingly led into signing a petition for the improvement of Wall and other streets with bitulithic pavement. They do not care for such a street as they understand it is a monopolistic product, and the cost is greater than it otherwise would be, contractors being forced to pay a royalty on the product.

The result is a number of those who signed the petition, have filed a protest with the council and ask that oil or some other kind of pavement be substituted.

The protestants say they do not wish to obstruct the improvement of streets but are in favor of having a high priced pavement forced on them by the misrepresentations of solicitors. The petition for the improvement and the protest have been laid on the table and will come up at the next session of the council.

WHY MEN SMOKE

A paragrapher in the New York Evening Sun is conducting a contest, offering a stogie or some other lavish prize for the one of his readers giving the best answer to the question, "Why do you smoke?" Doubtless the contest will draw many mirthful answers, but, although we are not mind-readers, we know in advance why most men smoke. Most men smoke because man is a contrary cuss, and, being warned against the wicked weed, he turns to it to demonstrate that this is a Free Country, and he is as Independent as the well known hog on ice. Time passes, and the stuff which sickens him at first becomes palatable, and later he learns to love it, and he smokes because he can't quit. Probably he will not admit he can't quit most men being liars in this respect, but that is the main reason, aside from the beginning of the habit, which hinges on the truth set forth above. All other reasons are irrelevant, immaterial and usually represent an effort to sidestep the important truths. There isn't much sense to smoking, but there are other fool streaks which are worse and wider, which is the greatest consolation tobacco gives. Got a match?

Opens New Offices.

J. Q. Black who has been conducting a real estate office on the west side for some time, has opened up new quarters at the corner of Tenth and Bissell.

TOLAND'S LANDING PICNIC BY WATER COMMISSIONERS MAY 31

The directors of the Richmond Municipal Water district intend that the voters of this section shall have every opportunity to inform themselves regarding the proposed water supply, and to that end they have arranged for a big excursion up the Sacramento river on May 31st.

The large and commodious steamer, Arrow, one of the swiftest craft on the bay, has been chartered from the Monticello steamship company, and will leave here Sunday morning, May 31 at 8 a. m. and make the trip to Tolands landing, where the day will be spent in sightseeing, the return trip to be made in the late afternoon.

Tolands landing is the point where the water commissioners intend to have their intake for the proposed water system.

There is a big warehouse at this point and there will be opportunity for dancing and other sports. As there will be music on the boat the light fantastic can be tripped going and coming, as well as while at Tolands. Arrangements will be made so that people can secure lunch, or those who desire can take their baskets with them.

On the return home, the vessel will pass through the seven-mile slough, just above Sherman island, and land at the picnic ground, above Antioch for a short time.

The fare for the round trip will be $1.00, which will include the ride on the Santa Fe train to the mole where the boat will dock. The train will leave the Macdonald avenue depot of the Santa Fe at 8 a. m. and the boat will depart immediately thereafter.

MAENNERCHOR PLAN OUTING NEXT SUNDAY

The members of the Richmond Maennerchor have completed all arrangements for the holding of a picnic up San Pablo Creek on Sunday, May 20th. An account of street cars not running to the place where the members of the society are to picnic, the services of several large busses have been secured to carry the members and their friends to the canyon.

The first buss will leave the corner of Seventh street and Macdonald avenue at 7:00 o'clock, returning, to leave on another trip at 10 o'clock. Dancing and various games have been arranged by the committee composed of A. Schwartz, F. Arnold, E. Pieper, J. Hansen and J. Hirt.

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